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Federal Communications Commission
Office of Secretary

Ms. Irene Flannery
Universal Service Administrative Company
2120 L Street, NW
Suite 600
Washington, DC 20037

**Re: Annual State Certification for High Cost Support
CC Docket No. 96-45**

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Flannery,

On behalf of Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc. ("Advantage"), pursuant to Federal Communications Commission's Rule Sections 54.313 and 54.314, I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that all high-cost support provided to Advantage will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, *as amended*.

Leslie Greer
Advantage Cellular Systems, Inc.


Its Authorized Representative

Date 9-16-04

Subscribed, Sworn to and Acknowledged before me this 16th day of Sept., 2004.


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